

## Message Text

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ACTION EUR-12

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 COME-00 EB-08 /021 W  
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R 211000Z FEB 77  
FM AMEMBASSY ANKARA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6522  
INFO AMCONSUL ISTANBUL  
AMCONSUL IZMIR  
AMCONSUL ADANA

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E.O.11652: N/A  
TAGS: BDIS, TU  
SUBJECT: DELAY IN PAYMENTS TO US FIRM

REF: (A) STATE 15545, (B) ANKARA 0665 BOTH NOTAL

1. KURTOGLU, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR GENERAL (FOREIGN EXCHANGE),  
MINISTRY OF FINANCE, RESPONDING TO EMBASSY'S REPRESENTATIONS  
IN BEHALF OF CHIAVONE-CHASE (REF B), INFORMED US FEBRUARY 21  
THAT CENTRAL BANK TRANSFERRED \$1,364,000 TO CHIAVONE-CHASE  
DECEMBER 31, 1976. HE ACKNOWLEDGES THAT ADDITIONAL SUM OF  
\$1,105,000 HAS NOT YET BEEN PAID. KURTOGLU CLAIMS METAS  
MADE SECOND TURKISH-LIRA EQUIVALENT PAYMENT TO CENTRAL BANK  
ON NOVEMBER 25, NOT NOVEMBER 15, AS STATED REF A. BECAUSE  
OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE SHORTAGE, MINISTRY IS CURRENTLY  
AUTHORIZING FOREIGN-EXCHANGE TRANSFERS IN CASES HAVING SAME  
PRIORITY AS CHIAVONE-CHASE/METAS TRANSACTION FOR WHICH LIRAS  
WERE DEPOSITED WITH CENTRAL BANK BEFORE NOVEMBER 15.  
MINISTRY OFFICER COULD NOT SAY WHEN IT WILL BE TURN OF CHIAVONE-  
CHASE TO BE PAID.

2. E/C COUNSELOR POINTED OUT THAT DEPARTMENT CABLE OF  
JANUARY 24 (REF A) INDICATED PAYMENT FOR FIRST INSTALLMENT HAD  
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STILL NOT REACHED CHIAVONE-CHASE. KURTOGLU AGREED TO CHECK  
THIS POINT.  
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## Message Attributes

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